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1                                    AMENDMENT TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 45

2                    AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Joint Resolution 45 on page  
3 2, by replacing lines 7 through 12 with the following:

4                    "RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
5 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE  
6 SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that the State shall appropriate no  
7 amount for new wage increases associated with any and all  
8 collectively bargained contracts throughout State government  
9 until the State has demonstrated 2 years of operating  
10 surpluses; an operating surplus shall be determined by the  
11 Illinois Office of the Comptroller and shall be defined as a  
12 State fiscal year in which the expenditures authorized or  
13 incurred during the fiscal year are less than the revenues  
14 received during the same fiscal year; and be it further

15                    RESOLVED, That until the State achieves operating  
16 surpluses in 2 consecutive fiscal years, as defined above, the

1 State shall not authorize or appropriate any funds for payment  
2 increases in lieu of pay raises for health insurance benefit  
3 increases or employee cost-sharing reductions or reductions  
4 for employee contributions to the State Employees Retirement  
5 System of Illinois; and be it further".